IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the Untied States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) be extended two months from June 5, 2006 to August 5, 2006, by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17) is believed to be \$225.00 for a two month extension for a small entity. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0622.

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